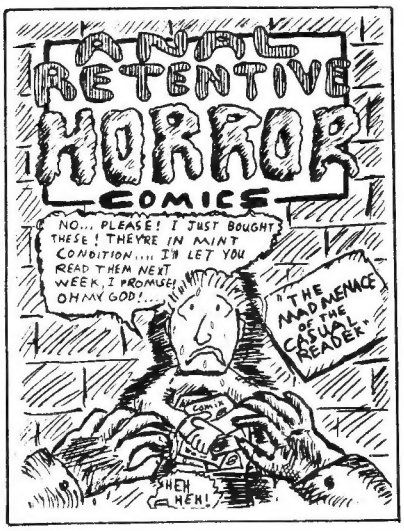
COMIX WORLD 160. December 1, 1980. © Clay Geerdes, Box 7081, Berkeley, CA 94707. World Rights Reserved. Logo by T. A. Kaegin. Subs: $10 for 48 issues. Latest mini-comic is BABYFAT 19. Cover by Par Holman/David Miller.

Whatever happened to Jim Osborne? A lot of readers ask that question. Fact is, he's in San Francisco and still doing some drawing when the mood hits him. The last time I saw him personally was in the lobby of the Richelieu Theater. He was leaning over the glass counter of the candy case embellishing the splash for his Majorca story which appeared in SLEAZY SCANDALS OF THE SILVER SCREEN. All those little rapidograph dots. Enough to drive most artists crazy, but not a perfectionist like Jim. He appeared in some early ug comic books, but doing stories just took too much time and paid too little. He had planned to do a solo book called VELVET VICE, but he dropped the idea after four pages (the pages were published in ARCADE). In the past few years, he's done some commercial work. Osborne's major influence is the illustrative art of Lynn Ward as you can see from his cover illo for the Victims 45 rpm "White Girl" below. I have a few copies of this for interested collectors. $5 pp from me.* Bruce Duncan has been publishing a small zine about Berkeley street life called TELE-TIMES for several years. He lives in an old building right on the street and is in a position to observe the street people and their habits. Recently, he collected his comic strips from TELE-TIMES into FRED AND NED COMICS. Only 100 were printed. 8 1/2 x 11, 26pp. $1.50 pp from Bruce, 2501 Haste Street, Rm 414, Berkeley, CA 94704 Those into S&M may want a copy of TOP COMEDY AND BOTTOM BURLESQUE. This is a book of cartoons about S/M. $5.30 pp from Bruce. And what's S/M, well, the people who are into it say it's Slave and Master, rather than Sado-Masochism. In either case, it's a cultic sex trip and its devotees hang out in the "leather" bars South of Market Street in San Francisco.* Would you believe the British Slits came to Berkeley and put up flyers that were elaborately designed labia? The Slits are three ladies of rock and roll and you can see them in toto on their album, CUT (1979), covered with mud. The new style seems to be to come up with a name so outrageous that your parents couldn't even say it. Those Slit flyers hung around Berkeley all week and no one took them down. In your town, the folks who put them up would probably have been busted for obscenity, right?* New from Garry Hardman, ANGST. 8 1/2 x 11, 28pp. Art by Behrendt, Block, Devore.


ANAL RETENTIVE HORROR COMICS
NO... PLEASE! I JUST BOUGHT THESE! THEY'RE IN MINT CONDITION... I'll LET YOU READ THEM NEXT WEEK, I PROMISE! OH MY GOD!...
"THE MADMENACE OF THE CASUAL READER"
HEH HEH!

V K T M ⚡

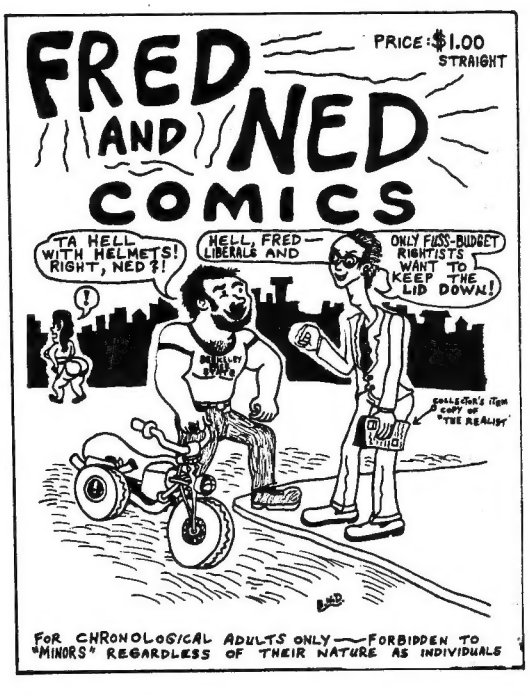
NEWAVE COMIX

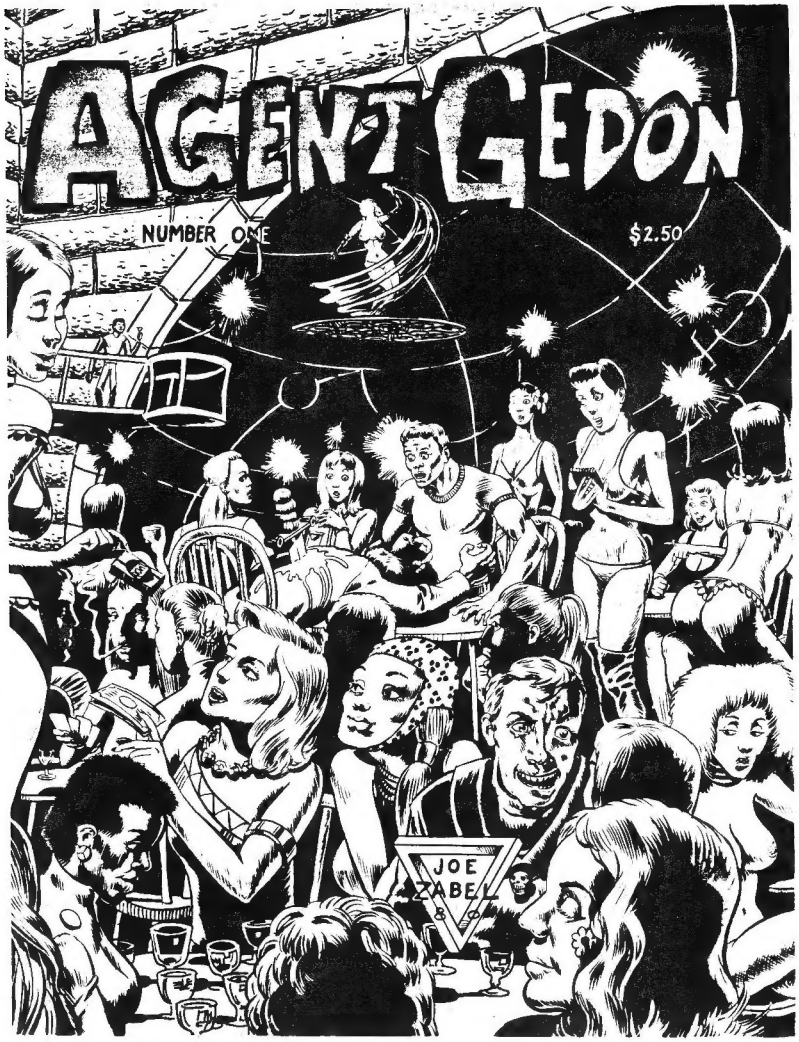
ANAL RETENTIVE HORROR
HAPPY COMIX
HIGHLIGHTS IN EVOLUTION
SHLUMPELHUMMER
THE ULTIMATE SUPERHERO

These five by Clark Dissmeyer, 105 N Esther St, Fullerton, NE 68638. Additional stuff by Marc Myers. Clark will probably send you all five for $1.75 pp.

BUNNY TALES
BRAILLE FUNNIES

Two 8-pagers by Ed Devore, R. D. 7 Devore Road, Meadville, PA 16335. A buck and a 15¢ stamp should do it.


FRED AND NED COMICS
PRICE: $1.00 STRAIGHT
TA HELL WITH HELMETS! RIGHT, NED?!
HELL, FRED— LIBERALS AND
ONLY FUSS-BUDGET RIGHTISTS WANT TO KEEP THE LID DOWN!
COLLECTOR'S ITEM A COPY OF "THE REALIST"
FOR CHRONOLOGICAL ADULTS ONLY—FORBIDDEN TO "MINORS" REGARDLESS OF THEIR NATURE AS INDIVIDUALS



RING
AWWR... MMMPH... MMMRR...
JACK... THE TELEPHONE...
RING RING
I'LL GET IT, YOU STAY PUT.
RING RING
H'LO?
REPORTING INTRUDER ON GROUNDS WILL INVESTIGATE AND TAKE PRESCRIBED ACTION.
FAR OUT! WE'VE GOT A CHANCE TO TEST THE K.U.K.L.
SUPER! CAN WE MONITOR IT ON THE "MASTER"?
WELL... I GUESS I CAN TRUST YOU!
HEY, BABY, WHAT DO ALL THESE BUTTONS OVER HERE DO?
BE SHHH! OUR GUEST HAS BREECHED THE ENTRANCE!

AGENT GEDON. © Joe Zabel, 1980. $3.50 pp.
185 Maple Dr., Youngstown, OH 44512.

ANGST is $1.75 pp from Garry, RD 2 Sherrod Hill Rd., Edinboro, PA 16412.* AGENT GEDON is one of the surprises of the year as you can see from the cover and page above. Better get a couple of these.* The latest Jerry Goebert Mini is ACID REIGNS, drawn by Nebraska's Clark Dissmeyer. 50¢/stamp from Goebert at 125 S. Main St., Greenburg, PA 15601.* For you folks who keep writing me about Cascade, I don't know what Artie Romero is doing or why he isn't getting his books out. If you're reading this, Artie, I suggest you write me so I can tell people what's up, either that or put the info in THE BUYER'S GUIDE.* The Guide to Newave Comix is nearly complete and will be published by Comix World in Jan. Only a few artists have yet to turn in their pages. It's a unique project, I think, a book which has listings of all newave comix with the pages done by the artists concerned. As of now, it will be approximately 7x11" and contain 20-24 pp. The first edition will come out in Jan and the book will be expanded and revised each year. It will mail-order for $2 pp and advance orders will be accepted with the understanding that the books won't be mailed until mid-January.* EL VIBORA 10 is a blockbuster. Lots of great artwork. Some American reprints, including a Zippy story, and some redrawn Victorian porn. If you're interested, contact Jose Berenquer, Apartado 216, Sant Cugat del Valles, Barcelona, Spain.* Guy Colwell and Melinda Gebbie are having a show at the S. O. M. A. Gallery, 2795 16th St., and there's a reception Friday, December 5, 1980 at 5 o'clock.* Should be a new FIRST KINGDOM out by Christmas. Jack Katz was at the comic store on Telegraph (Comics and Comix) signing books and talking about his work.* Leonard Maltin in town last week. He's done a book, OF MICE AND MAGIC, which is a history of cartoons. He was at C & C, and at the U-C theater. Join us! C. G.

BST: MONGOLOID VISION MINI, $1.00/STAMP FROM CW.
LATEST PHOTO OF R. CRUMB $2.00/STAMP SK7 B&W FROM CW.